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MARINE CORPS BASE CAMP LEJEUNE, N.C. – Cpl. Philip G. Charte, 22, of Goffstown, N.H., died Sept. 7, as a result of a hostile incident while supporting combat operations in Helmand province, Afghanistan.

Charte was a rifleman assigned to 2nd Battalion, 6th Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team 7, I Marine Expeditionary Force Forward. He joined the Marine Corps in June 2007 and was promoted to corporal June 1, 2010.

He deployed in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom from August 2008 to March 2009 and, most recently, in support of Operation Enduring Freedom in June 2010.

His awards include the Marine Corps Good Conduct Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal.

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